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The Gentleman From Indiana

By DOOTH TARRINGTON

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CHAPTER I.

AT the city hospital in Rouen that night a stout young man introduced himself to a doctor, superintendent of police, a surgeon and a French sheriff of Carlow. He spoke in a low voice. "My name is Meredith," he said. "My father was an old and—well, he was a friend of mine." He paused for a moment. The Platteville men nodded solemnly. "An old and dear friend of mine," he went on, with some difficulty, and Warren Smith took him gently by the hand.

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China: "I wish the world to understand that I am neutral in this affair."

—Philadelphia North American.

The Teller uttered a short, gasping cry.

"Let me," said Gay and swiftly in-

terposed. Bending over the cot, he said in a pleasant voice: "It's all right, old man; it's all right. Slattery wants to know what you did with that man down at Plattville when you got through with him. He can't remember, and he thinks there was money left on him. Slattery's head was hurt. He can't remember. He'll go shares with you when he gets it. Slattery's going to stand by you if he can get the money."

The Teller only tried to move his free hand to the shoulder Barrett had shaken.

"Slattery wants to know," repeated the young surgeon, gently moving the hand back upon the sheet. "He'll divvy up when he gets it. He'll stand by you, old man."

"Would you please not mind," whispered the Teller faintly—"would you please not mind if you took care not to brush against my shoulder again?"

The surgeon drew back, with an exclamation, but the Teller's whisper gathered strength, and they heard him murmuring oddly to himself. Meredith moved forward, with a startled gesture. "What's that?" he said.

"Seems to be trying to sing, or something," said Barrett, bending over to listen.

The Teller swung his arm heavily over the side of the cot, the fingers never ceasing their painful twitching. The surgeon leaned down and gently moved the cloth so that the white, scarred lips were free. They moved steadily. They seemed to be framing the semblance of an old ballad that Meredith knew. The whisper grew more distinct. It became a rich but broken voice, and they heard it singing like the sound of some far, halting minstrelsy:

"Wave willows—murmur waters—golden sunbeams smile,
Earthly music—cannot waken—lovely—Annie Lisle."

Meredith gave an exclamation. The bandaged hand waved jauntily over the Teller's head. "Ah, men," he said, almost clearly, and tried to lift himself on his arm. "I tell you it's a grand eleven we have this year! There will be little left of anything that stands against them. It's our championship. Did you see Jim Rumble ride over his man this afternoon?"

As the voice grew clearer the sheriff stepped forward, but Tom Meredith, with a loud cry of grief, threw himself on his knees beside the cot and seized the wandering fingers in his own. "John!" he cried. "John, is it you?"

The voice went on rapidly, not heeding him. "Ah, you needn't howl! Well, laugh away, you Indians! If it hadn't been for this ankle—but it seems to be my chest that's hurt—and side—not that it matters, you know. The sophomore's just as good or better. It's only my egoism. Yes, it must be the side—and chest—and head—all over, I believe. I'll try again next year—next year I'll make it a daily. Helen said, not that I should call you Helen—I mean Miss—Miss—Fisbee—no, Sherwood—but I've always thought Helen was the prettiest name in the world—you'll forgive me?—and please tell Parker there's no more copy and won't be—I wouldn't grind out another stick to save his immortal—she said—ah, I never made a good trade—no—unless—they can't come seven miles—but I'll finish you, Skillet, first; I know you! I know nearly all of you. Now let's sing 'Annie Lisle'!" He lifted his hand as if to beat the time for a chorus.

"Oh, John, John!" cried Tom Meredith, and sobbed outright. "My boy, my boy—old friend!" The cry of the classmate was like that of a mother.



HOSTETTER'S

CELEBRATED

STOMACH BITTERS

for it was his old idol and hero who lay helpless and broken before him.

Two pairs of carriage lamps sparkled in front of the hospital in the earliest of the small hours, these subjoined to two deep hooded phaetons, from each of which quickly descended a gentleman with a beard, an air of eminence and a small, ominous black box, and the air of eminence was justified by the haste with which Meredith had sent for them and by their wide reputation. They arrived almost simultaneously and hastily shook hands as they made their way to the ward down the long hall and up the narrow corridor. They had a short conversation with the surgeon and a word with the nurse, then turned the others out of the room by a practiced innuendo of manner. They stayed a long time in the room without opening the door.

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JAPS SCORE AGAIN

This Time They Sink More Merchant Vessels at Port Arthur Harbor.

THE PORT BOTTLED UP

Circumstantial Report From Tokio Carries News of This Last Daring Enterprise.

Aside From That There Is Little Fresh Information From Scene of War.

Tokio, March 25.—On the night of March 22 the Japanese fleet renewed the attempt to bottle up Port Arthur. Sixteen warships escorted seven merchant steamers to the mouth of the harbor and under cover of the bombardment the steamers ran in and were sunk in desired positions. Three thousand Japanese officers and blue jackets volunteered for this duty. An official report is expected this evening.

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House of Representatives Not Moved by the Williams Taunts.

Washington, March 25.—The house of representatives has again put itself on record against any investigation of the postoffice department. Eight pages of the postoffice appropriation bill were disposed of. The question of an investigation of the postoffice department was brought up by Mr. Williams, the minority leader, who proposed an amendment providing for a select committee of five members of the house and three senators to make a complete investigation into the alleged frauds in that department. He taunted the Republicans for their failure to order an investigation and said the party was opposed to it. The chair sustained a point of order by Mr. Overstreet against the amendment and when Mr. Williams appealed the chair was sustained 133 to 99.

The senate passed the Indian appropriation bill. After the routine features of the bill had been disposed of Mr. Bacon again raised the question of civil service appointments, basing his remarks upon the statement made by Mr. Hoar that senators from states of political faith different from that of the president should be consulted in the matter of appointments to office. Mr. Bacon contended that the Southern states were practically disfranchised under a Republican administration and said this condition of affairs was contrary to the intention of the founders of the government.

ALL QUIET IN COLORADO

Situation in Counties Under Guard Is Peaceful.

Denver, March 25.—Martial law is in operation in two Colorado counties—San Miguel and Las Animas. Reports from both districts are to the effect that conditions at present are peaceful. At Telluride, San Miguel county, press censorship is exercised and no news is sent out unless approved by the military authorities. At the capital no secret is made of the fact that the purpose in declaring martial law in San Miguel county is to prevent the return to Telluride of the union men who were expelled from the camp by an organization of armed business men who had announced their intention to go back under protection of an injunction granted by District Judge Theron Stevens.

Capt. Bulkeley Wells, whom Gov. Peabody has appointed military commander of the district, was one of the leaders of the party that drove the union men and their sympathizers out of the camp. He has said that if the exiles should attempt to return they would be regarded as characters likely to create disorder in the district and would be dealt with accordingly.

Hangman's Rope Tamped With.

Union, Mo., March 25.—It has been discovered that the rope which will be used for the execution of George Collins, the alleged Union bank robber, who was convicted of killing Detective Schumacher, has been cut. Sheriff Bruch, believes that it is a part of a plan for Collins' escape, arranged by friends of the condemned man. The rope was sent to St. Louis. Unless the governor grants another reprieve Collins will be hanged tomorrow.

Rain Came in Good Time.

Holdrege, Neb., March 25.—A heavy rain has quenched the disastrous fire which started Wednesday between here, Atlanta and Loomis, but not before it had burned over a strip from three to ten miles wide and twenty miles in length. As far as known but one life was lost, that of August Olsen, an aged farmer and the total property loss is estimated at something above \$100,000. There were many narrow escapes.

Spread of the Plague.

Johannesburg, March 25.—The bubonic plague is spreading. There are now sixty-nine suspected cases among the colored population and nine among the whites. The deaths resulting from the plague up to date are fifty-five whites and fifty natives.

The Burton Trial.

St. Louis, Mo., March 25.—The government rested its case last evening in the trial of United States Senator Joseph R. Burton, of Kansas, who is charged with having illegally accepted fees from the Rialto Grain and Securities company, of St. Louis.

Sailed for Panama.

Lima, Peru, March 25.—The United States Pacific squadron sailed today for Panama. Rear Admiral Glass held a brilliant reception yesterday on board his flagship, the New York.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Sir Edwin Arnold, the author, is dead in London.

A strong but short earthquake shock was felt at Guayaquil, Ecuador.

Arguments against the eight-hour bill are being continued before the house committee on labor.

Pekin is placarded with notices prohibiting the natives from assisting either of the far Eastern belligerents.

President Roosevelt will press a button at the White House which will start the machinery of the St. Louis exposition on April 25.

Anton Wiske, eighteen years old, at Eau Claire, Wis., confessed that he killed his father in his cabin near Augusta and then burned the body.

The American Can Co., at Chicago, whose three plants have been crippled for six weeks by a strike of 1,700 can-makers, has apparently settled the trouble.

The only rain of consequence in months fell throughout central Kansas Thursday, thoroughly soaking the ground. Wheat was badly in need of moisture.

EMINENT DOCTORS PRAISE MUCU-TONE



HOW can we measure the importance to mankind of the discovery of an absolute cure for catarrh, that dreaded malady which attacks the mucous membrane or delicate underlining of the skin of the body.

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The heads of great hospitals, where scores of catarrhal patients are treated each year, are perhaps in the best position to appreciate the value of a remedy, which working along scientific, intelligent lines, brings permanent cure to even the chronic sufferer.

The staff of physicians of the Suffolk Hospital and Dispensary in Boston, where in less than two years 83,271 patients have registered, do not hesitate to pronounce Rexall Mucu-Tone the best cure for catarrh they have ever used.

Albert C. Smith is the president and treasurer and the Hon. Chas. J. Noyes and the Hon. James Stevens are vice-presidents. The secretary is F. H. Wallace, M. D., and the superintendent is W. C. Clarke, M. D.

President Smith's letter should be read by every catarrh sufferer. We print it in full:

"It gives me great satisfaction to report to you that after a most careful trial of Rexall Mucu-Tone, the corps of physicians of our institution agree that this compound is the best cure for catarrh which we have ever used."

"In all catarrhal diseases of the bronchial and nasal passages; catarrh of the stomach, intestines, kidneys and bladder; catarrhal troubles of the generative organs of women, etc., Mucu-Tone has effected remarkable permanent cures."

"Mucu-Tone seems to act immediately upon the blood and mucous membranes, strengthens their cells and healing the inflammation."

"We shall continue to use this valuable preparation, for nothing can compare with it in the treatment of catarrh and its kindred troubles."

"Yours very truly,

A. C. SMITH, President."

Certainly such testimony as this must convince even the most skeptical—certainly it will justify us in requesting catarrh sufferers to give Rexall Mucu-Tone a trial; to give it a chance to speak for itself. If you will do this we know you will continue taking it until cured.

Rexall Mucu-Tone is unlike all other catarrh remedies. It works through the bloodvessels, going direct to the affected part whether in head, throat, stomach, kidneys or bladder; driving out the poisons and healing all inflammations of the mucous membranes. From the very first dose its strengthening influence will be felt and from four to six bottles will effect a complete cure of the worst cases. Your money back if not more than satisfied.

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The relation of the nerves and generative organs in women is so close that nine-tenths of the Nervous Prostration, Nervous Debility, the Blues, Sleeplessness and Nervous Irritability arises from some derangement of the organism which makes her a woman. Fits of Depression or Restlessness and Irritability. Spirits easily affected, so that one minute she laughs, the next minute weeps. Pain in the ovaries and between the shoulders. Loss of voice, nervous dyspepsia. A tendency to cry at the least provocation. All this points to Nervous Prostration. Although you may not know it, in nine cases out of ten this is caused by some uterine disorder, and the nerves centering in and about the organs which make you a woman influence your entire system. Nothing will relieve this distressing condition and prevent months of prostration and suffering so surely as

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Will not the volumes of letters from women made strong by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound convince all women of its virtues? Surely you cannot wish to remain sick and weak and discouraged, exhausted each day, when you can as easily be cured as the two women whose genuine letters follow, and thousands of others.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Words cannot tell what I suffered before taking your medicine. I am 28 years old and the mother of four children, the last two being only 16 months apart. I was all run down, had fainting spells, palpitation of the heart, and was so bad with womb trouble that I could not be on my feet but a short time before I would have to lie down. Also was troubled with leucorrhoea. I was nervous and could not sleep, and at times wished I could die. A friend insisted on my giving your medicine a fair trial, which I did. I began to feel better before the first bottle was half gone, and after using five bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and three packages of Sanative Wash, I was a different woman. I owe my good health to-day to always speak a good word for your remedies. My little girl was troubled with her kidneys, and one bottle of your Vegetable Compound has entirely cured her."—Mrs. KITTIE B. PETERSON, Jenison, Mich.

\$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I want to thank you for the good your medicine has done me. When I wrote you last July I was so weak and nervous that I could not endure the sight of work. I was in a terrible condition, so nervous that it took all of my strength of will to keep from convulsions. The doctors did me no good. My heart troubled me, would have spells of skipping beats and would flutter. I had such a feeling of dread and fear about me all the time I was afraid to go anywhere.

"I commenced taking your remedies as you advised me, and in one week I felt better than I had in a whole year before, and the rain was steady. Day by day the bad symptoms disappeared. My appetite returned and I was able to go to bed at night and sleep like a child. In all I took nine bottles of your Vegetable Compound and seven of your Blood Purifier, and would say to all suffering women, do not stop at a few bottles, but keep on. In three months I was able to return home, and have since done the housework for a family of six. It does not seem possible that I am the same person that suffered so a year ago."—Mrs. T. J. FAUGHT, Leslie, Michigan.

FREE MEDICAL ADVICE to women is offered by Mrs. Pinkham. Let her help you to health, it will cost you nothing. Address her at Lynn, Mass.

TORNADO SEASON

Was Ushered in in Northern Indiana by Destructive Storm.

IT TORE THINGS LOOSE

At Indiana Harbor Many Houses Were Blown Down and Three Lives Were Lost.

At Hammond the Damage Was Little Less Severe—Many Persons Injured.

Chicago, March 25.—One of the most severe storms this city has known in many years passed over Chicago last night. Great damage was done in the suburbs to the south of the city and considerable loss was sustained north of the city proper. The storm did not strike the business portion of the city in its greatest force. The town of Indiana Harbor, twenty miles southeast of Chicago, was the heaviest sufferer. One man, L. Barker, the proprietor of a dry-goods store, together with two unknown men, were killed, and fifteen persons who were in his store when the storm struck were injured, some of them seriously, although none is expected to die. Barker's store was entirely demolished. Eighteen residences were blown down and a score of persons were hurt in the ruins of their homes. All three of the hotels in that place were badly damaged. Greens' hotel in particular being badly wrecked. One two-story frame building was turned entirely over. The storm created havoc in the town of Hammond. A number of residences were badly damaged, and two persons were injured, but not fatally. One end of the large plant of the Republic Iron and Steel company was blown down, causing a loss of at least \$25,000. A number of business houses were unroofed and the city last night was in total darkness. So many of the electric light wires were blown down that the authorities compelled the company to shut off all power, lest lives might be lost through contact with live wires. In the freight yards of the roads running through Hammond much damage was done. The yards in many places were piled high with wreckage. At Grand Crossing, eight miles south of the city, a number of buildings were wrecked, freight cars blown about the yards and the tracks of the railroads covered with debris to such an extent that the majority of incoming trains were compelled to call upon their passengers to assist in removing the wreckage from the tracks so that the trains could proceed.

To the north of the city, the storm was also severe, much damage having been done in the suburbs of Evanston, Rogers Park and Thornton. In the latter place the frame dwelling of E. Gardner was blown into a stone quarry and was reduced to kindling wood. Gardner was fatally hurt and his wife sustained serious injuries. Several other people were injured.

Lightning Exploded Fireworks. East St. Louis, Ill., March 25.—An electrical storm, accompanied by a high wind and a heavy fall of rain, caused considerable damage here last night. The lightning struck many buildings, among them the plant of a fireworks manufactory, which exploded and three of the large buildings were burned. A large number of persons were injured and many dwellings were demolished. The loss will reach many thousands of dollars.

Heavy Loss in Wisconsin. Milwaukee, Wis., March 25.—A severe rain and wind storm swept over

a large portion of Wisconsin last night, doing much damage to the telegraph and telephone service and in some cases unroofing buildings. Special dispatches from Lake Geneva show heavy loss to summer houses on the shores of Geneva lake, where there are scores of handsome summer dwellings, many of them lightly constructed.

Grand Rapids Storm-Swept. Grand Rapids, Mich., March 25.—A small but destructive tornado struck the south end of the city last night, doing damage that reaches into the thousands. Two persons were injured, barns were laid flat, chimneys and other portions of houses were blown away, stock was killed, houses were thrown from their foundations and trees uprooted. Besides there was considerable damage by lightning.

River Tunnels Declared a Nuisance. Washington, March 25.—Representative Mann, by direction of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce, has filed a favorable report on a bill declaring the Chicago river tunnels a public nuisance and authorizing the secretary of war to notify the owners or managers thereof to modify or remove them so that navigation of the river may not be obstructed. A reasonable time is to be given for this improvement.

Plaintiff Got Nominal Damages. Indianapolis, March 25.—To hear the breach made by the failure of John Wright to keep the alleged promise to marry Mrs. Sarah J. Cox, a jury in the superior court awarded her a verdict of \$1 damages. She had asked for \$10,000.

Colds Cause Pneumonia. One of the most remarkable cases of cold, deep-seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I ran down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength." Sold by W. F. Peter Drug Co., and A. J. Pellens.

Heavy Damages Awarded. Los Angeles, Cal., March 25.—Miss Anita Kelly, of New York, was awarded a verdict of \$35,000 damages and costs against a Santa Barbara hotel company for the loss of a limb in an elevator accident in July, 1903. She sued for \$50,000.

Commemorative Stamps. Washington, March 25.—The post-office department has announced that a special series of stamps in five denominations to commemorate the Louisiana Purchase of 1803 will be issued beginning April 21.

Happy, Healthy Children. Any child can take Little Early Risers with perfect safety. They are harmless, never gripe or sicken, and yet they are so certain in results that robust constitutions requiring drastic means are never disappointed. They cannot fail to perform their mission and every one who uses DeWitt's Little Early Risers prefer them to all other pills. They cure biliousness. Sold by W. F. Peter Drug Co., and A. J. Pellens.

If troubled with weak digestion, belching or sour stomach, use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will get quick relief. For sale C. W. Milhous.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure Digests what you eat.

CHANGED HIS PLEA

President of Wrecked Elkhart Bank Throws Himself on Court's Mercy.

BRODERICK GIVES UP

Sudden Termination of One of the Most Interesting Trials in Indiana Banking History.

J. L. Broderick After Standing Trial Follows Cashier Collins' Example.

Indianapolis, March 25.—J. L. Broderick, president of the wrecked Indiana National bank, at Elkhart, which closed its doors on the evening of Nov. 18, last year, and failed to open the next morning, has entered a plea of guilty in the United States district court to the charges of embezzlement, misapplication and abstraction of the bank's funds, making false entries in the books of the bank, false reports to the comptroller of the currency and to all of the sixty-one counts in the indictment returned against him, charging him with wrecking the bank. One of the most interesting trials in Indiana banking history was thus brought to a dramatic and sudden ending, after hearing had been continued over a week and the defense had begun to present its evidence. Judge Anderson suspended sentence until after the trial of Walter Brown, charged on sixty-seven counts in the indictment returned against him with being implicated in the bank's wrecking. He then dismissed the jury and court was adjourned.

The penalty provided for such charges as those to which Broderick and Collins have pleaded guilty is imprisonment for a period not less than five nor more than ten years. Broderick pleaded guilty to all of the sixty-one counts remaining in the original indictment against him, after it had been modified by the attorneys for the government dismissing three of the minor counts in resting their case. In imposing sentence it is given on all counts instead of any one of them.

It was said that Broderick came to the decision to plead guilty after a long talk with his wife.

OFFICE HOLDERS MEET Their Terms Reviewed.

Indianapolis, March 25.—Sixty-five county officers, representing the 200 or more in the state most affected by the recent law lengthening and making the terms of county officers uniform, met at the Denison hotel and organized against what they regard as the effort of the Republican state committee to have this law declared unconstitutional. The men, Democrats and Republicans, present were chiefly from among those now in office who would receive an additional year under the law. The opinion was expressed that the Republican state committee's attitude was due to a desire to obtain additional contributions to the campaign fund, that would come from all these officers making the race again next fall.

In addition to making a defense in Warren county, where suit has been begun by the state committee to compel the election commissioners to place the name of a candidate for treasurer on the county ticket, the making of an offensive fight was planned. This will be made in either Randolph, Hamilton or Hendricks county. The cases in the three counties are the same. A committee was named to employ counsel and to have charge of the fight.

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Lightning Exploded Fireworks. East St. Louis, Ill., March 25.—An electrical storm, accompanied by a high wind and a heavy fall of rain, caused considerable damage here last night. The lightning struck many buildings, among them the plant of a fireworks manufactory, which exploded and three of the large buildings were burned. A large number of persons were injured and many dwellings were demolished. The loss will reach many thousands of dollars.

Heavy Loss in Wisconsin. Milwaukee, Wis., March 25.—A severe rain and wind storm swept over

Suspicion of Foul Play.

Kokomo, Ind., March 25.—There is no trace of Arthur Jackson, last seen alive on the night of the 13th inst., and the feeling prevails that he is dead, either by suicide or as a victim of foul play. Wildcat creek has been dredged, and also the ponds in that vicinity, together with the quarry where his hat and wristlet were found. Prof. I. N. Gipe, a brother-in-law, has offered a reward for discovery.

Undertaker Stopped Funeral.

Princeton, Ind., March 25.—The funeral of George Lemonds, supposed to have been killed by a train here, was stopped by the undertaker, who found marks on the throat, indicating that Lemonds had been choked to death. Bishop Bradshaw, sixteen years old, is being held here for disposing of an overcoat belonging to Lemonds, which he says he found.

Alleged Embezzler Arrested.

Anderson, Ind., March 25.—L. H. Vinneke, the fugitive local manager of the wire trust, who absconded in December last, leaving a shortage of several thousand dollars, was arrested in New Orleans, La., and he has expressed a willingness to return without a requisition. The information came from the police superintendent of that city.

Continued the Cases.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 25.—Owing to the fatigue of the prosecuting attorney and his deputies, growing out of the trial and conviction of Jerry Duggins, the triple murderer, the cases of the eighteen men who attempted to lynch Duggins have been continued until next Monday.

"DO IT TO-DAY."

The time-worn injunction, "Never put off 'til tomorrow what you can do today," is now generally presented in this form: "Do it to-day!" That is the terse advice we want to give you about that hacking cough or demoralizing cold with which you have been struggling for several days, perhaps weeks. Take some reliable remedy for it today—and let that remedy be Dr. Boschee's German Syrup, which has been in use for over thirty-five years. A few doses of it will undoubtedly relieve your cough or cold, and its continued use for a few days will cure you completely. No matter how deep-seated your cough, even if dread consumption has attacked your lungs, German Syrup will surely effect a cure—as it has done before in thousands of apparently hopeless cases of lung trouble. New trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c. At all druggists.

Six Business Buildings Destroyed.

Seranton, Pa., March 25.—Fire, which broke out in a lively stable in Jermy, fifteen miles north of here, destroyed six buildings in the business section of the town. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

Saw His Finish.

"Oh, oh," exclaimed Mrs. Naggs, "I've bitten off the end of my tongue!" "Well, I certainly feel sorry for myself," rejoined the heartless Naggs. "Hereafter there will be no end to your tongue."—Buffalo News.

The Name Witch Hazel.

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WHAT IS WRONG WITH THE PICTURE?

KEY TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE PICTURES. Elephant has but one ear and is walking on the water. Savage holds spear with blade to the rear.

VALLONIA

The heaviest rain of the season fell here Tuesday, washing out several places in the railroad track.

Thirty young ladies will participate in the 'Oriental Wedding' to be given at the Christian church, Saturday night April 2nd. Admission 20 cents.

Miss Ida Emptom, of Grassy Fork visited her cousins, Misses Blanche and Ethel Empson, from Tuesday till Saturday.

John Vande Walle and wife, of Seymour, came down Wednesday to be present at the dinner given Mrs. L. Barker.

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No. 12 4:40 a. m. daily..... 4:43 a. m.
No. 4 9:10 a. m. "..... 9:14 a. m.
No. 2 3:46 p. m. "..... 3:49 p. m.
No. 8 4:0 p. m. dly ex Sun 4:55 p. m.

WESTBOUND

ARRIVE. DEPART.

No. 5 5:24 a. m. dly ex Sun 5:27 a. m.
No. 9 5:24 a. m. Sunday only 5:27 a. m.
No. 7 10:29 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:32 a. m.
No. 1 11:20 a. m. dly ex Sun 11:23 a. m.
No. 3 11:52 p. m. "..... 11:58 p. m.

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BEDFORD ROUTE

Southern Indiana Railway

Time Table of Passenger Trains Effective Oct. 26, 1902.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

STATIONS.	EVERY DAY.	A. M.	P. M.
Terre Haute.....	6:00	11:30	5:25
Linton.....	7:03	12:33	6:27
Beaumont.....	7:44	1:24	6:58
Elkhart.....	7:55	1:35	7:09
Indiana Springs.....	8:02	1:24	7:16
Bedford.....	8:43	2:05	8:1
Seymour Junction.....	9:30	3:05	8:45
Seymour.....	9:55	3:15	9:35
A. L. P. M. P. M.			

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

STATIONS.	EVERY DAY.	A. M.	P. M.
Seymour.....	7:05	11:30	5:25
Seymour Junction.....	7:10	11:35	5:30
Bedford.....	8:19	12:45	6:44
Indiana Springs.....	8:55	1:24	7:16
Elkhart.....	9:32	2:01	7:59
Beaumont.....	9:43	2:12	8:10
Linton.....	9:55	2:54	9:30
Terre Haute.....	11:00	3:30	10:35
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